GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

SD&T – Establishment of (1) Skill College in every Parliamentary Constituency in the State – Administrative sanction to Andhra Pradesh State Skill Development Corporation (APSSDC) - Accorded – Orders issued.

SKILLS DEVELOPMENT AND TRAINING (SKILL) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.10 Dated:30.05.2021,

Read the following:

1. D.O.from Addl.Chief Secretary to CM, CMO with Lr.No.174/ Addl.CS to CM / 2019, dt.25.11.2019.
2. Minutes of the Meeting held by the Hon'ble CM on 18.12.2019, communicated by the MD and CEO, APSSDC through Mail.
3. Letter from the MD and CEO, APSSDC in Lr.No.02/APSSDC/Skill University/financial models/2020, dated:04.08.2020.
4. Letter from the MD and CEO, APSSDC in Lr.No.07/APSSDC/Skill University/financial models/2020, dated:18.08.2020.

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ORDER:

Emphasis on Skill development is essential to create strong and relevant human capital that shall help in contributing to the State economy at a macro level and will enable sustainable livelihoods at a micro level. Essential technical / domain skills and soft skills are components that help realize a person's socio-economic aspirations. Therefore, it is imperative for the State to drive this investment in Skill Development to ensure the achievement of decent work and economic growth (SDG8) for all and help in fulfilling the State's commitment towards achieving Sustainable Development Goals.

2. With the changing demand for skilled workforce, the Hon'ble Chief Minister has envisioned a new paradigm in Skill Development that shall help in creating learning opportunities for the youth in sharpening their technical and employability skills with particular focus on industry and market alignment. As per the vision, the skill ecosystem shall be developed with extreme focus on industry demand and their future skilling needs.

3. In pursuance of the above vision of the Hon'ble Chief Minister, the MD and CEO, APSSDC has submitted a proposal for establishment of one Skill University and 30 Skill Colleges, one each in 25 Parliament Constituencies and one each in (4) I.I.I.Ts and one Skill College at Pulivendula, along with budget for creation posts, including Non-recurring and recurring expenditure i.e., Rs.1211.65 crores (Capex) + 173.88 Crores (Opex-annual average over the Year 3 to Year 8) respectively.

4. A presentation was made to the Hon'ble Chief Minister on 25.5.2021 on the above proposal of the MD & CEO, APSSDC and after a detailed deliberations, it was decided to accord in- principle concurrence to the proposal, as follows:

(a) The establishment of (1) Skill College in every Parliamentary Constituency in the State, duly dovetailing the (2) Institutes of Driving and Traffic Research (IDTRs) recently sanctioned by Ministry of Road Transport and Highways, Government of India.
(b) The Skill College will have six (6) classrooms, two (2) state of the art labs, one (1) workshop, space for appurtenant requirements such as office room, staff room, etc.
(c) The Skill College will have capacity to provide residential training for 120 trainees. Residential training will be provided for higher order skills of (3) months or more duration.
(d) The Skill College will have a capacity to provide non-residential training for 120 trainees. Non-Residential training will be provided for skills requiring training of (1) month or more duration.
(e) The Skill Centres will also provide shorter duration courses, enhancing employability skills, which are aligned with the industry/ market demand.
(f) The Skill College shall be developed as a Centre of Excellence for preferably (1) & a maximum of (2) core sectors. The selection of the core sector/s will be based on demand for skilled workforce in the area, and for sectors which ensure the providing placement leading to gainful employment to the majority of students trained in the residential mode. The non-residential trainings shall also primarily focus on the identified core sectors.
(g) On job training shall be facilitated to the maximum extent.
(h) Reputed Knowledge Partners shall be identified for a Skill College/ Cluster of Skill Colleges/Sector, so that latest curriculum and pedagogy is offered.

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(i) Connect with Industry/Industry Associations shall be ensured for a Skill College/Cluster of Skill Colleges/Sector, so that workforce and trades demand is accurately gauged and the course design is aligned to the industry requirement.

(j) The operations of the Skill College/Cluster of Skill Colleges will be through Industry Training Partners, who are reputed Industries/ Industry Associations/ Foundations and Section (8) Companies established by Industries, etc., who are desirous of collaborating with Government in the noble mission of skilling, who are able to bring value to the Skill Colleges by providing industry knowledge and placement in their own units/sector and who do not consider this collaboration as a purely commercial engagement.

(k) The Director of Industries will provide the primary inputs to the Skills Development and Training Department for Skill College wise core sectors, courses to be offered, Knowledge Partners, Industry Connect and the Industry Training Partners. Based on the above inputs, the exact location of the Skill Colleges will be finalised.

(l) Based on availability and suitability, the lands of the existing Industrial Training Institutes (ITIs) and Polytechnic will be preferably utilised for the location of the Skill Colleges.

(m) The Department shall prepare an action plan for ensuring the synergy of the Skill Colleges with the existing ITIs, Polytechnics and Employment Exchanges.

(n) The Capex on each Skill College will be Rs.20,00,00,000/-(Rupees Twenty Crores only)

(o) The Department is permitted to prepare the bankable DPR by the Managing Director, AP State Skill Development Corporation (APSSDC), duly indicating the revenue streams and debt servicing schedule and for raising funds from banks/financial institutions and Finance Department also permits transfer of assets (land and buildings) of Skill Development and Training Department to the APSSDC to strengthen the balance sheet of APSSDC to enable the fund raising, duly following the business rules and prescribed procedure.

(p) The Finance Department will facilitate the process of the fund raising consequent upon the preparation of the full-fledged DPR mentioned above.

(q) The Managing Director, AP State Skill Development Corporation is permitted to dovetail the Deen Dayal Upadhyay Grameen Kaushal Yojana (DDUGKY) and Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY) and other Government of India (GoI) schemes with the Skill Colleges and shall ensure that entire Opex is met from the aforesaid schemes. Only in the exceptional circumstances, shall the recourse be sought to the State grants.

5. Accordingly, Government, hereby accord Administrative Sanction for the establishment of (1) Skill College in every Parliamentary Constituency in the State, in accordance with the in-principle concurrence given at Para-4 above.

6. The Managing Director, Andhra Pradesh State Skill Development Corporation and the departments concerned, shall take necessary action accordingly.

7. This order issues with the in-principle concurrence of Finance U.O.No.FIN-FMUOPC(THE)/11/2020-FMU-THE (Computer No.1084381)

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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The OSD to Secretary to CM
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The Chairman, A.P.State Skill Development Department, Tadepalli, Guntur
The Ministry of Road Transport and Highways, Government of India, New Delhi.
The Director of Employment and Training, A.P.
The Special Commissioner, Technical Education, A.P.
The CEO, SEEDAP, Vijayawada, A.P.
The Finance (FMU-THE) Dept.,
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SECTION OFFICER